

LIBELED: 10-14-54, W. Dist. Wash.

CHARGE: *Keystone liniment*. 502 (a)—the label contained false and misleading representations that the article was effective for overcoming bleeding, pain, infection, and fever.

Keystone Blood & Kidney Remedy. 502 (a)—the bottle label and the accompanying labeling contained false and misleading representations and suggestions that the article was an effective treatment for cleaning out the urinary canal, expelling gravel from the bladder, killing and expelling worms, increasing the menstrual flow, relieving pain, expelling phlegm from the lungs, purifying the blood, overcoming kidney ailments, chronic liver and gallbladder trouble, and diabetes.

The articles were misbranded when shipped and while held for sale.

DISPOSITION: On 3-4-55, Keystone Laboratories, Portland, Oreg., and Forward Club, Seattle, Wash., claimants, filed an answer denying that the articles were misbranded as alleged. Thereafter, interrogatories were served upon the claimants by the Government. The claimants withdrew their answer; and, on 12-16-55, the court entered a default decree condemning the articles and ordering that they be delivered to the Food and Drug Administration.

4948. Colusa tablets, Colusa liquid, and Colusa ointment. (F. D. C. No. 38200. S. Nos. 6-676/9 M.)

QUANTITY: 8 200-tablet btls. and 9 100-tablet btls. of *Colusa tablets*; 25 2-oz. btls. and 16 4-oz. btls. of *Colusa liquid*; and 9 3-oz. jars of *Colusa ointment*, at Dayton, Ohio.

SHIPPED: Between 1-31-55 and 6-15-55, from Los Angeles, Calif., by J & J Remedy Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Colusa Vitamin A Fortified Tablets (For Internal Use) As a dietary supplement. Containing Vitamin A Concentrate from fish liver oils, with a solidified petroleum base. Contains Phosphorus and Calcium. Each tablet contains 5000 U. S. P. Units of Vitamin A, which is 125% of the minimum daily adult requirement," and "Colusa A preparation for the relief of simple skin irritations, or where itching of the skin is caused by crustations, chapping and cracking. Also for use on dressings for minor cuts, abrasions and burns. Active-Ingredients Salicylic Acid, Methyl Salicylate and ½% Carboic Acid (Phenol) in an Unrefined Petroleum oil base"; (jar) "Colusa Ointment A preparation for the relief of simple skin irritations, also for cuts, abrasions and burns. Also for relief of pain and itching due to Piles and Hemorrhoids * * * Active Ingredients * * * Zinc oxide, Benzocain, Menthol, Camphor, Lanolin, Yellow Bees Wax, Salicylic acide, ½% Phenol (carboic acid) in an unrefined Petroleum oil base."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Placards designated "Skin Sufferers Quick Relief Get Fast Acting Colusa Today!"; leaflets entitled "Colusa What It Is And How To Use It"; pamphlets entitled "Colusa Products"; and proof sheets entitled "Skin Sufferers Quick Palliative Relief * * * With Fast Acting Colusa * * * Look at this Hand!" and "Skin Sufferers Quick Relief [or "Quick Palliative Relief"] * * * Keep Your Eyes On Results."

LIBELED: 6-29-55, S. Dist. Ohio.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling accompanying the article, when shipped, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for eczema, psoriasis, scabies, skin rashes, and skin troubles of all kinds.

DISPOSITION: 8-15-55. Default—destruction.

4949. Mild laxative tablets with bile salts. (F. D. C. No. 37969. S. No. 6-037 M.)

QUANTITY: 984 display cartons, each containing 12 btl., at Chattanooga, Tenn., in possession of Eagle Products Co., Inc.

SHIPPED: 10-1-54, from St. Louis, Mo.

LABEL IN PART: (Display carton) "Eagle's Mild Laxative With Bile Salts * * * 1 Dozen * * * 35¢ Size"; (btl.) "20 Tablets * * * Eagle's Mild Laxative Tablets With Bile Salts Each Tablet Contains: Bile Salts Compound, Phenolphthalein, Extract Cascara Sagrada, Aloin and Podophyllin. As a laxative to aid in relieving temporary or occasional constipation. Sole Distributor Eagle Products Company, Inc. Chattanooga, Tennessee."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflet entitled "Eagle's Mild Laxative Tablets With Bile Salts."

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: The article was shipped in bulk from St. Louis, Mo.; and, after receipt by the consignee, it was repackaged and relabeled.

LIBELED: 5-13-55, E. Dist. Tenn.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the labeling accompanying the article, while held for sale, contained false and misleading representations that the article was an adequate and effective treatment for various disorders of the liver and gallbladder and for chronic constipation.

DISPOSITION: 6-22-55. Consent—claimed by Eagle Products Co., Inc. The leaflets accompanying the article were destroyed.

4950. Crunchies. (F. D. C. No. 38499. S. Nos. 11-638/9 M.)

QUANTITY: 4 drums, each containing 25,000 *Crunchies*, and 3 drums, each containing 20,000 *Crunchies*, at Birmingham, Ala.

SHIPPED: 4-9-54, from St. Louis, Mo.

RESULTS OF INVESTIGATION: Analysis showed that the article contained about 50 percent of the declared amount of vitamin D.

LIBELED: 10-12-55, N. Dist. Ala.

CHARGE: 502 (a)—the label statements of the article, while held for sale, namely, "Each 3 Crunchies Contain: * * * Vitamin * * * D . . . Activated Ergosterol * * * 800 USP," was false and misleading as applied to a product which contained less than the stated amount of vitamin D.

The article was alleged also to be adulterated under the provisions of the law applicable to foods, as reported in notices of judgment on foods.

DISPOSITION: 11-15-55. Default—destruction.

4951. Pan-Ascorin capsules. (F. D. C. No. 37907. S. Nos. 7-433/4 M.)

QUANTITY: 27 100-capsule btl. and 63 40-capsule btl. at Denver, Colo.

SHIPPED: 1-25-55 and 2-21-55, from Holland, Mich., by De Pree Co.

LABEL IN PART: (Btl.) "Pan Ascorin De Pree Providing therapeutic levels of vitamins associated with the health and function of the adrenal cortex * * * Each capsule provides: Ascorbic Acid (Vitamin C) 250 mgs. Riboflavin (Vitamin B₂) 5 mgs. Pantothenic Acid 100 mgs. * * * The Full Potency 'Stress' Vitamin Formula."

ACCOMPANYING LABELING: Leaflets designated "Pan-Ascorin The full-strength 'Stress' Vitamin Formula"; a poster entitled "Is STRESS the Cause of All